

PSYCHOLOGICAL STRATEGY BOARD
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MEMORANDUM

TO: General Walter B. Smith, Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: Draft "Evaluation of the Psychological Impact of United States Foreign Economic Policies and Programs in France." (PSB D-37)

I attach a draft of PSB D-37, bearing the above-quoted title, for consideration and appropriate action by the Board at its meeting on January 15, 1953.

This paper was developed by the PSB staff as an outgrowth of the parallel project [REDACTED] 25X1B
You will recall that, [REDACTED].

[REDACTED] some thought was given to broadening that project to embrace Western Europe. Although that alternative was not adopted, I have had in mind the importance of U.S. economic policies and programs in this wider area, and I have therefore directed that this paper on France be developed in the staff. [REDACTED] evaluation, it was written in frequent consultation with the Department of State and has benefitted by the Department's comments. 25X1B

I present this document to the Board for its consideration and request permission to distribute it to interested agencies for their information.

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Director

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